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In His Own Country . . .

Ottawa is to be rebuilt, according to an announcement made by the Prime Minister recently. And it is to be rebuilt according to plans designed by a French architect who is being invited to Canada for this express purpose. While this announcement seems innocent enough, consideration of the proposal leads to some questioning. And one of the leading questions is with regard to the calling in of an outside architect.

With the Prime Minister, we would like to see our capital city rebuilt in order that it may serve as a fine memorial to our servicemen, and also as a fitting political centre for our fast-growing nation. But we would also like to see it as a fitting tribute to Canadian architecture. Throughout Canada the field of architecture has been sadly neglected, and the reason is not that we do not have the talented architects of other nations.

Many a good architect has graduated from our schools of architecture, only to move to the United States, or to England, or to some other country that is more conscious of the beauty of its buildings and towns. Canadian architects have time and again come first in international competitions and exhibitions. Why, then, do we have to invite a French architect to plan the rebuilding of our capital city?

A glance at this page, which has been dedicated to McGill's own School of Architecture, shows the wealth of original ideas and sound architectural planning that are to be found on our own doorstep. A mention of the names of outstanding architecture professors such as Prof. Bland of McGill, and Prof. Milton S. Osborne of Manitoba, brings recognition among leaders in the field in nations outside of Canada.

Are we to forever remain a nation who shuns its own creative artists in all fields, or will we finally recognize these men at home, and give them the opportunities they so deserve? Too long we have disregarded the artistic wealth of our country, using the excuse that we are so young. We are not too young, we are only immature; our maturity will come when we are strong enough and sufficiently self-confident to rise up with the rest of the world and say, "Here is our art, and we know it is good!"

Granted we will make errors, and that our thought will not be as the thought of other nations, granted that at first we will meet with little in the way of worldly praise, and that our art may not stand criticism against that of other nations who have already a wealth of artistic development behind them, still, we have something to offer, and the recognition Canadians have received in the field of architecture is one of the first steps towards our evolution into the world of art in general.

We can start by giving our own Architecture School the recognition it deserves on our campus. Read this page, then think it over. . . .

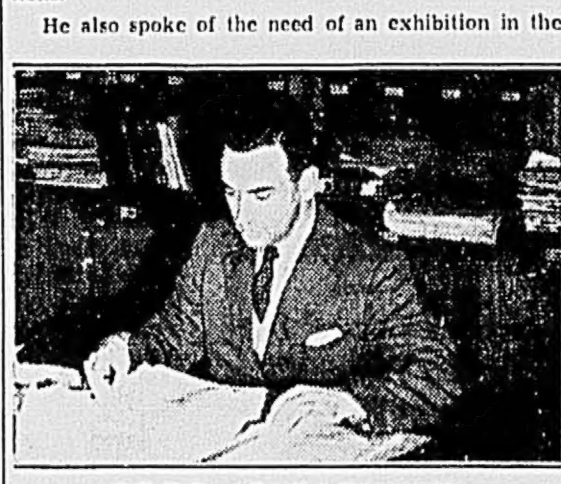
Meet the School of Architecture

JOHN BLAND
Director of the School

By KEITH TISSHAW

It is an exceptional man who, after graduating from McGill, returns to become a member of the faculty, and is appointed head of the department he graduated from only eight years after receiving his degree. Prof. John Bland, Director of the School of Architecture, accomplished just this; he left McGill in 1933 with a B.Arch., joined the faculty as lecturer in architecture in 1939, became Executive Secretary to the School the following year, and was appointed Director on the retirement of Prof. Turner in 1941.

Vitaly interested in getting the rest of the campus to know the architects, Prof. Bland said, "At one time the School was too isolated, and I have tried to bring the architects into contact with the rest of the campus. Some progress has been made in this respect, but it can still be greatly improved upon. This semester the first years of architecture and engineering have been made common. During the past three years many courses in the School have been given jointly with Civil Engineering, and the architects also have a course in town planning in conjunction with some sociology classes. Some students in the School have also been active in the designing of sets for diverse campus stage productions."



PROF. JOHN BLAND

He also spoke of the need of an exhibition in the School, where the architects might show examples of their work to the rest of the campus as well as the general public.

Prof. Bland believes in practising what he preaches, he is active in many architectural projects around the city; at this he is connected with the development of Previlleon, the southern bank of the St. Lawrence, as well as being consultant in town planning for St. John's, Newfoundland. The D.L.L. town site at Chalk River, where research on the atomic bomb was carried out, was designed by Prof. Bland.

In his pleasant soft-spoken manner, Prof. Bland told of his activities in the United Kingdom, where he resided from 1933 until 1939. He was associated with Harold Spence-Sales, and together they practised architecture and town planning. Among other things they designed a nursery school and a department store.

They also entered architectural competitions; typical of which was the News Chronicle's School Competition, and out of a large number of entries they were awarded several prizes. Their design of a tourist camp built of lumber gained them first prize in another contest. A plan for the reconstruction of South London from Lambeth bridge to London bridge, which was called the South Bank Scheme, was also drawn up by these two young architects.

Prof. Bland made a survey of the water situation in England, and it was published in 1939 by the "Country Life" Publishing House, under the title of "The English Water Problem." Just to round out his activities in the Mother country, he was affiliated for a year with the London County Council as town planning assistant.

In recognition of his work the Architectural Association of London awarded him a diploma in town planning, and he was made an Associate of the Royal Institute of British Architects.

An interesting fact about the School is that it will have its golden anniversary next year, since it was founded in 1896, when the first professor of architecture was appointed.

Time and Tide

These Architects

These people called architects are a nice bunch of people. Whether it is just that the architects we have on the campus are especially pleasant individuals or whether they are all like that I do not know, but when you go to collect material for a story and get invited to tea . . . it's a new touch.

We all started out on this venture of introducing the Faculty of Music and the School of Architecture to the campus knowing as little about these particular branches of the University as the average student. The job has been a fascinating one. We have found far more information than we have possibly been able to put on these specialized pages, and that is a great pity, for we have not had the space or the facilities to present more than a brief survey of these groups.

We have had wonderful help from these people. They have been eager and willing to help us in every manner possible in our collecting of material. We would especially like to thank Dean Douglas Clarke of the Faculty of Music and Professor John Bland of the School of Architecture for their cooperation and helpful suggestions. A great deal of the success of these pages has been due to them.

—R. L.

THE SCHOOL ITSELF

By ENID BETCHERMAN



LECTURER GORDON WEBBER AT WORK

The School of Architecture at McGill was founded as a Department of the Faculty of Applied Science in 1896. Among its directors has been Professor Percy E. Nobbs, a very important figure in the development of French-Canadian architecture.

Situated in the Engineering building, the School of Architecture is closely related to Civil Engineering. Since it began, the School has generally contained from thirty to fifty students taking the five year course leading to the degree of Bachelor of Architecture. The first women students were admitted in 1939. Specializing in modern architecture, the principal task of the students is the working out of structural solutions for design problems. All courses are related to this work. The students attended two summer sketching schools for the purpose of studying, by visual investigation, buildings in different areas.

Conducting the School along with John Bland, director and associate professor, are Frederic Lussier, associate professor, and Gordon Webber, instructor in design. Dr. Arthur Lismer, Director of Education at the Art Association, teaches the history, theory and design of art. The students are schooled in professional practice by a lawyer, Austin Johnson. Also there is an advisory committee of practicing architects.

STUDENTS' OPINION

By GOLDIE WOLOFSKY

The students of the School of Architecture, with very few exceptions, agree that they do not feel left out of campus life; even though they seem to be considered the forgotten faculty, they consider themselves important, and are at present working to get a representation on the Students' Executive Council.

One dissenting voice stated, "I don't feel we have enough time to join in on campus activities, our schedule is too full. I know many of us would like to belong to political and other clubs, but if we did our work would fall down."

Another student complained, "we feel ourselves part of the campus, but the only time the other faculties know we are around is when a poster has to be made, or decorations for a dance have to be prepared. Other times they don't know we exist."

One thing very noticeable is their friendship one with another, everyone knowing everyone else, working and laughing together. Their work is of a cooperative nature, and as they are a group of only about forty students, of necessity they are constantly being thrown together, and liking it.

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AFTERNOON TEA

The students were unanimous in their praise of the small but efficient staff. There is a very informal attitude between the professors and the students, and it is often hard for the outsider to tell who is teacher and who pupil.

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LETTER FORUM

WITHDRAWALS

Mr. Fletcher,
McGill Union.
Sir:—I accordance with letter sent to you on November 21st, please note that I hereby withdraw from the forthcoming Scarlet Key elections.
Yours truly,
Signed MARCEL HEBER.

The Secretary,
Students' Executive Council,
McGill University.

Dear Sir:—I sincerely regret that I find I must withdraw my name from the slate of candidates for the position of Representative of the E.U.S. to the Students' Executive Council for the coming session.

My reason for this decision is that when I was approached some time ago by a group who asked me to run for this office I underestimated the time which it is necessary for me at present to devote to the executive offices which I now hold. I feel that if I were elected to the position of Representative I would not be able to do so.

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jects. The School consists of two draughting rooms, a studio for experiments in drawing technique and making models, a lecture room, offices for the staff, a reference library, and a photographic dark room. Freehand drawing and modelling are taught at the Art Museum. Each year the students' work is shown at an exhibition.

A very interesting course this year is that in "Social Observation" Continued on Page Four

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Goodwin, Roth Play Star Roles; 1500 See Action-filled Contest

By S. HERBERT RUBIN

Spurred on by a large turnout of supporters, McGill's starry hoopers swept to a thrilling 39-33 victory over their bitter rivals, Sir George Williams College, last night in a hard-fought MBL match. Showing much finesse and timing that spells trouble for St. Lawrence this Saturday, Coach Lou Davies' proteges broke the back of the Georgian attack after ten minutes of the second half and coasted the rest of the way to a well-earned victory.

With multitudes of cheers and the antics of referee "Snooker" Ruvinsky forming a spirited background, Sammy Roth and lanky Mart Goodwin paced the Redmen to their initial win of the season. Also shining for the locals were Davidson, Hoyle and Greenburg who all turned in stellar performances. The whole five showed a tremendous improvement over last week and with two more months to "practice" the Red and White cagers should be a real contender in the intercollegiate hoop league.

GEORGIANS FIGHT HARD

Although outplayed by a decisive margin, the Georgians put up a hard fight being strengthened by a huge crowd of Georgian students. Leading the attack for the Maroon and Gold were Flynn, Woods, Guthrie and Robertson who all played steady, heads-up games and accounted for all but six of their team's points.

THREE STARS

SAM ROTH—for netting ten points and playing a spectacular game both offensively and defensively, setting up many baskets for his teammates.

MART GOODWIN—who shared honors with Roth in sinking five baskets and who broke up many Georgian threats.

MAGNUS FLYNN—who fought hard, scored seven points for the Georgians and turned in a sparkling performance. The tie began at a slow, conservative pace with Greenburg's free throw at the three minute mark breaking the ice for the first point. A nice basket by Goodwin eight minutes later gave McGill a 7-5 lead which they never lost. By the time the first half ended McGill had amassed a 17-12 lead. The initial frame was marked by close-checking with the referees tending to call fouls at the least provocation.

GOODWIN STEALS SHOW

Greenburg also opened the second half with a basket but the Georgians came right back and baskets by Woods, Flynn and Burnett put them within two points of the Redmen. However a beautiful basket by Hoyle on a Davidson pass plus another by Roth put the locals out of danger. Mart Goodwin then stole the show by literally "dropping the ball into the cordage" on two successive occasions. The play began to liven up and speed was at a premium as the ball went up and down the floor.

After a lot of tough luck around their opponent's hoop, the Red and White cagers broke loose as they swept the Maroon and Gold off their feet in a blaze of speed. Roth swished the cordage from way out and then after Woods had struck gold George Davidson looped the hoop for a pair of picture baskets that resembled his brilliant performances of past years.

FROM THE SIDELINES

Fighting till the end, the Georgians came back, despite a ten point deficit and the Redmen had to really play heads-up ball to hang on to their lead. But showing real fight in the pinches, the locals matched speed for speed and ended up with a tidy 39-33 decision.

Roses to the refs for stellar performances... "Red" Barber looks as good in a ref's uniform as he does in a player's. Lemons to the blond McGill co-ed who cheer leaded the Georgians... Ref "Snooker" Ruvinsky was an added attraction in Lou Davies' face when Goodwin clicked for two baskets... much practised plays paid off for the Redmen... Greenburg went without a foul in the last half after having four stuck on him in the first... Georgians' Guthrie played for Western in '39—good player too... first game in a long time that Goodwin kept his glasses on throughout... the gym looked like the Forum on a Saturday night with 1,500 filling in every empty space—good turnout McGill—keep it up.

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McGILL INTERMEDIATES DOWN GEORGIANS

Volleyball League To Begin Shortly At Currie Gym

Twenty-three Teams Enter Season's Play; Practice Scheduled

The next Volleyball practice for the 23 teams entered in the league will take place commencing at 5.15 p.m. on Friday in the Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Gymnasium and will continue until 7.15 p.m. League play is slated to get under way some time in the near future, according to Manager Eddie Rossi and representative class teams must be chosen soon, preferably after the practice scheduled for Friday.

If the first practice is any indication of what is to come in the second, and also the league games this winter, play will be very lively throughout the season. The 23 teams composing the league are from the following faculties: One team from the Graduates Class, two from the School of Physical Education, one from Law, one from Dentistry, three from Medicine, one from Architecture, three from Engineering, four from the School of Commerce, and three are to represent the Faculty of Arts.

It is sincerely hoped that the athletic representatives from each and every faculty and school will appoint at least one volleyball manager and more if possible. These managers are to assist in the organization of the league, solving the many problems which will undoubtedly arise and supervise the carrying out of all scheduled games and practices. All students are urged to give the league every ounce of support they can.

VETERANS HOUSING

There will be a meeting of the HOUSING COMMITTEE of the Veterans Society at 5 p.m., today, November 29, in the Players' Club Room of the Union. All married veterans with or without children who are interested in housing are asked to attend. Those unable to attend are asked to contact J. Switzman, Housing Director, at CA. 0726 between 6-8 p.m.

Dawson Athletic Program In Full Swing With Softball and Basketball Leagues

Indoor Softball Gains Momentum With Six Teams

Indoor Softball at Dawson has started to pick up momentum since the sport was started on November 20. Games are played every Tuesday and Thursday evenings, and a six team league participates.

70-80 students are taking part in this newest extra-curricular activity, and Phil Spector, the manager of the sport, expressed surprise at the high calibre of playing exhibited in the league games.

The league is still in the infant stage, and a call has been sent out for umpires. Four arbiters are needed to umpire the weekly games, and Phil Spector requests any applicant to leave his name at the athletics office in the gym.

Though indoor softball is a fairly safe game, a number of minor casualties have resulted from play so far. On Nov. 22, Drummond, catcher for Engineering A was knocked out when he collided with teammate with Clatz when both players were chasing an infield fly. He gave of himself for a good cause, however, since his squad defeated the Married men 27-6.

League standings as of Tuesday

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Snooker Tournament Recommences To-day

Due to the fact that the Snooker room has been closed for the past two days, the tournament has been sadly hampered, but it was stated last night that it will recommence today at noon when R. Cohen meets George Davidson. The winner of this match will enter the quarter finals. Another game, scheduled for five o'clock this afternoon, is the match between Manny Schacter and Willie Korman, which was interrupted several days ago. At the time of writing Schacter has won one game and needs only one more to advance into the semi-finals. It was announced by the manager that all second round matches are to be played this week on the penalty of default.

The Inside Dope

We would like to point out the lack of interest shown so far in this year's Interfaculty Basketball League. This loop was started a few weeks ago and had to be reorganized at the end of last week due to the failure of certain teams to show up for their scheduled games. Since the league has started up again there has been a definite improvement, but things as they now stand are still not as they should be. Yesterday's games, for instance, were all played off, but it was noticed that a few teams were short-handed or had no substitutes, and the type of basketball played in the interfaculty league is rather hard to take for the full game. It is thirty minutes of stone-age rugby in a rather refined form, although we must admit that the referees did do as much as they could without making the game a series of penalty shots.

At any rate, the league is running off pretty well now, but there is still a definite lack of interest among those who signed their names to the lists posted for their respective faculties.

THE MELL FIGHT

We were privileged to see the fight last Tuesday night between Griffithtown's Gus Mell and Polly Jackson. It was a fair bout, it seemed to our naive young soul, but nothing deserving of the big build-up it got from all the other big-time newspapers in this fair city of ours.

As a matter of fact, we thought that in any other town the best Mell would have got would have been a draw; however, the local patrons must be humoured, and Fred Allen himself could not have done a better job of humouring the attending throngs Tuesday night. Mell was the aggressor throughout the battle, but Jackson showed a lot of experience in making his blows go wild most of the time, although we must admit he did take the odd punch which would have floored many a lesser man. What we could not understand throughout the whole fight was the fact that at times Jackson was backing up and then rushing forward with an extremely awkward right hand swing which, curiously enough, found its mark. Apparently these professional fighters around here do not seem to know how to throw a straight punch. A left jab against Jackson would have done wonders Tuesday night. This observation was carried out, furthermore, in all the other fights on Tuesday, and in all the others which we have seen in the past in Montreal.

RALPH WALTON

We would here like to mention one Ralph Walton, a coloured boy from Montreal who fights anyone, anywhere, at any time. In the card last Tuesday he fought Joey Peralta, who is one of the better welterweights of the day and gave him a very good battle. As a matter of fact, it was a lot closer than a lot of people claimed. Walton is a pretty good boxer and a very willing mixer. His record is something to be marvelled at. Last year alone he fought fifty-four professional fights, an average of over one fight a week, children, and if he is not a trifle punchy by this date we can only conclude that his brain must be extremely well nailed down.

The fight card last Tuesday was not, in our humble opinion, any too flashy, but to a fight-starved town like Montreal, I guess any boxing looks good. If we might make some suggestions, we think that a heavyweight or two would probably go over around here, if he were properly matched. But apparently Montreal is more interested in dramas, for right now as I am writing this word there is a marvellous show going on at the Forum attended by approximately ten to twelve thousand raving dramatic critics. We mean the drama being staged by four master actors, Mr. Rudolph Dusek, Mr. Ernest Dusek, Mr. Marcel Tillet and Mr. Yvon Robert. We would like to add that Monsieur Tillet is performing this evening during a vacation trip of North America. It is understood that he will be returning to his native France within a few months.

Interfaculty Loop Off To Roaring Start Last Night

Med. Teams Win Tilts As Commerce Squads Go Down in Defeat

Five games were scheduled for the interfaculty Basketball League last night, and furthermore they were played. There was a lot of enthusiasm shown and the going was rough. Medicine 1 defeated Engineering 3 by the score of 20-2 in an amazingly close tilt. The score, of course, was no indication of the play. A. George was the high scorer for the Meds. who picked up six points.

Commerce 1A dropped a close one to Medicine 2B, 20-19. George Athans and Don Brown were the high scorers for the Meds. with eight and six points respectively. Bolte scored six points for Commerce. Red McCavour led the Dents to a 27-17 victory over Architecture by scoring twelve points.

Science 3 and 4 defeated Commerce 2, 31-17. Williams and Shiller were the high scorers in this game. In the last game of the afternoon Grads downed Arts 3 and 4, 18-9. Baird cornered eight of the Grads' points, while Piper got the same number for the Artsmen. (Plug).

There are two games scheduled for today. At 5.15 Law takes on Med 2A under the watchful eye of referee McTavish. At 6 Med 3 face the Phys. Eds with Ray Davis handling the tilt.

M.O.C. Mumblings

By Icicle

Always something new and interesting! Yes, it's the M.O.C. This Friday night at 8 p.m. in the R.V.C. Common Room there will be a showing of coloured slides of the Rockies from Jasper to Banff. This will include skiing and other Johnny Brett that the M.O.C. has winter views. It is thanks to been lent these slides from the Library of the Alpine Club of Canada. This is an excellent chance to see some really fine pictures of the Canadian Rockies. Everybody is welcome.

THE WEEKEND

From the looks of things and prophecies of the weatherman there will be some good skiing this weekend. The M.O.C. house at Shawbridge will be open for the week-end and there will be skiing around about as well as on the trails if they are covered. Now is a good time to start waxing those skis. Consult your nearest notice board for further information. SKI HEIL!!!

M.O.C. By Muscles

Do you like to dance but hate all the bother of getting dressed up? Do you have a repressed desire to treat your girl as a squaw? Would you like to appear in public with a couple of days' growth? Do you want to know what your girl's waist REALLY measures? Do you have an intellectual curiosity about what it is like to square dance? Do you have any curiosity, period?

There will be a bar complete with three barmaids and singing barmen. If you manage to look seedy enough, you might even manage to win the prize as the best (?) dressed couple and wind up with a free weekend at the M.O.C. house in Shawbridge. Rumor hath it that there are other prizes of the livestock variety.

All this at the M.O.C. Hayseed Hop this Saturday night in the Union at 8.30. Get your tickets now—\$1 and a penny for every inch of your gal's waist. Tickets available from: The Union Tuck Shop, Bred Barton in the Engineering Building, Walter in the Arts Building, or from any of the following M.O.C.'ers: Viv Cullen, Charlie Van Wagner, John Harris, Ina Hyde, Bill Ward, Gordie Lindsay (Engineering), Elliot Young and Harold Ames (Medicine), Bob Butler, Ed Chaplin (Science), George McCammon (Commerce), Gerry Henderson (Beatty Hall) Ted Baker (Douglas Hall), Peter Maco (Miss) at Dawson College, Di MacIntyre, Trudie MacIntosh, Mary Hummel, Puss Jones, Nonnie Emory and Andy Collins (R.V.C.).

Please note change in time—8.30—at the Union Town Hall.

Red and White Cagers Defeat Georgians 55-26 In Intermediate Contest

Murray, Nichols Star for McGill As Schratz Shines for Georgians

By BERNARD DUFRESNE

McGill Intermediate cagers pulled a wonderful victory out of the proverbial hat last night when they routed Sir George Williams by the score of 55 to 26, in the small Currie gym.

The Reds played a superior brand of basketball all the way, good conservative play which requires brains as well as speed. The Georgians, on the other hand, after playing the first period on the same footing as McGill tried to open up the play in the second half, but failed to make a success of it.

The visiting squad played fast basketball, being especially quick on the breakaways but their efforts were curbed both by erratic shooting at the webbing and the superior defensive play of the Red hoopers.

Coach Ronnie Rutherford's boys took more time to set up their plays however, and made them count to the tune of 55 points.

Play was a bit rough as evidenced by the 28 fouls committed by both teams, but this only accentuated interest in the tilt.

Though the entire Red team played stellar cage play as a rule, the spark plugs of the fray were Nichols, who sank five baskets in the second half and Murray, captain of the squad, who racked up eight points.

For the Georgians, Schratz played a smart and fast game besides scoring nine points.

Other stars for the Red and White hoopers included Davine and Allan who were credited with eight points each though their performances on the floor were as excellent on the offensive as on the defensive.

By virtue of this victory McGill now stands with one defeat and one win, while the Drummond street aggregation has two losses on the debit side.

McGILL	F.G.	P.F.	F.T.	Pts.
Murray	4	2	2	8
Davine	4	3	1	8
Lefcoe	2	0	1	4
MacTavish	3	0	0	6
Allan	3	2	4	8
Beagrand	1	1	3	4

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Club News

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There will be a meeting of the Executive in the Music Room of the McGill Union at one o'clock today.

ARCHITECTURAL UNDERGRADUATE SOCIETY AND SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY

Everyone interested is cordially invited to hear Miss Helen Alford of London, England, speak on Housing in Britain on Friday next at 8.15 p.m., in the Architectural Lecture Room, Engineering Building. Miss Alford is making a tour of Canada under the auspices of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities to give information about the English Housing Estates and Housing Managers and on community centre developments in England. She herself has been Housing Manager and Chief Billington Officer for the Metropolitan Borough of Fulham since 1938 and throughout the London blitzes was responsible for rehousing homeless families in her borough; her wide experience should give her remarks great interest.

McGILL RADIO WORKSHOP

There will be a rehearsal for the cast of the play under production at 2.00 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 1 in the Union Music Room.

SPANISH CLUB

Members of the club are invited to come to Room 250 of the Biological Bldg. this afternoon at five o'clock. Four films will be shown. "Mexico builds a democracy", another film on Guatemala, "Colombia" and "Cuernavaca". There is no new development in lectures sponsored by the club and directed by Mr. Rojo. Until rooms are secured lectures will not start. The Executive hopes to announce the beginning of the lessons by the end of this week.

POLITICAL ECONOMY

"Marxian Views on the Business Cycle" will be the subject of an address to be delivered to the members of the McGill Political Economy Club tonight at 8.30 in the Music Room of the McGill Union. The speaker for the evening will be Mrs. Ruth Alberts.

The club this year has had an extremely large enrollment and the attendance at the first two meetings was exceptionally large. This week's meeting is in the nature of a study group since the subject will be somewhat more detailed than the topics discussed at the opening sessions.

The meeting is open both to members and non-members and the floor will be thrown open for questions at the end of the talk. Mrs. Alberts is a graduate student at McGill and has done considerable research on the subject.

INTER VARSITY CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

"Has Christianity the Answer to Today's Chaos?" This is the topic of the second I.V.C.F. Open Forum. No one can deny that the world today is in a chaotic state. The whole universe is threatened with destruction by atomic war. A devastating war has just finished, yet some people are still fighting, others are planning the next world war. Has Christianity an answer to this confusion, can it solve the problem, has it the key to peace? This is a problem of universal interest and concern, and all students are invited to partake in this forum. Mr. C. Stacey Woods, B.A., B.Th., will lead the discussion and then turn it over to the house.

The forum will be held at 8 p.m. on Saturday, December 1, in Student House, 3445 Peel Street. Refreshments will be served.

B.W.I. SOCIETY

On Sunday, December 2nd, at 3.30 p.m. in the Church Hall of the Union United Church, 3007 Delisle street, Mr. W. Algernon Crawford will address a meeting co-sponsored by the Society. Mr. Crawford is a member of the Barbados House of Assembly and editor of The Observer. He has played a very important role in the political life of the British West Indies, and is now on a lecture tour in the U.S.A. His address should be of great profit to anyone interested in the Social and Political problems of the West Indies.

To get to the Church Hall, take street car to Atwater, then take bus and get off at Delisle street. The B.W.I. Study Group will meet as usual at 5 p.m. on Friday in the Union Music Room. Mr. Habib will be the speaker on conditions in Trinidad.

DEL FOUNDATION

Del Foundation (Feast of Lights) Party will be held at the Hill House, 3460 Stanley St., coming Saturday, 5 p.m. This is the second in the series of Saturday afternoon affairs which are being planned by the Cultural Committee. The program will include songs, games, reading selections and special Chantuka refreshments. The entire

Hillel membership and their friends are invited.

POLITICAL SCIENCE CLUB

Miss Rosalie Ballantine was elected social convener at yesterday's noon-hour meeting.

A comprehensive outline of the economic policies of the Liberal Party was given by M. MacMahon, Arts student. Discussion followed with many members participating. Thirty-eight attended the meeting.

FENCING DANCE

Tonight at eight o'clock in the B.W.I. Room of the Currie gym the Fencing Club is holding its annual Fall Social. All members are cordially invited. Cakes and Cakes will be served afterwards.

CHORAL SOCIETY

Attention altos—A special rehearsal for altos will be held today at 5 p.m. in Room 12, R.V.C. (we hope). Reason for this additional meeting is to practice the more difficult parts that are still in the need of going over. All altos must be present at this rehearsal, for it is absolutely necessary that we all round off the finer points of our repertoire in a uniform manner.

NEWMAN CLUB

The next meeting of the Newman Club will be held on Sunday, December 2, 10 a.m., at the Convention of the Sacred Heart. Instead of the usual guest speaker there will be a quiz program. On the board of experts will be Dr. Karl Stern, noted psychiatrist, Tim Slattery, B.C.L., Murray Ballantine, editor and historian, and Doug Rennie. The audience will receive cash prizes for any questions these men cannot answer, so come prepared to stump the experts.

Frank Modler and his Orchestra will provide the music for the dance on December 7. An invitation has been extended to the students at the University of Montreal.

R.V.C. HISTORICAL CLUB

Date: Today
Time: 8.00 P.M.
Place: R.V.C. Common Room.
Topic: "The Development of Canada as a World Nation, since 1900." Speaker: Miss Shirley MacRae. Refreshments—no charge—Women students, one and all, most welcome. Do come and join in the discussion.

CARIBBEAN BROADCAST

Students scheduled to take part in the GREETINGS SECTION are reminded that they meet in the Players Clubroom of the Union at 8 p.m. on Friday.

DAWSON VETERANS' SOCIETY

All veterans at Dawson College are asked to attend the general meeting to be held in the Dawson Theatre, 8 p.m. today. They will have the opportunity of meeting and hearing Len Starkey, the president of the Veterans' Society at McGill. The agenda is as follows:

- (1) Address by Len Starkey on "Aims of the Combined Veterans' Societies."
- (2) Election of committees for education and entertainment, and a publicity director.
- (3) Treasurer's report concerning the reduction of membership fees.
- (4) Report on D.V.A. matters.

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ELECTRICAL CLUB

The Electrical Club has arranged two films to be shown by The Bell Telephone Company, dealing with the construction work involved in placing long distance telephone cables between Montreal and Toronto, and Montreal and St. Agathe. The films are in technicolor, and will be supplemented by a running commentary which will be presented by one of the officials of the Company. The actual construction work that goes into the laying of a toll cable will be shown, and the router and plough trains will be seen in operation. This machinery digs the trench, lays the cable, and fills the trench all in one operation.

The film will be shown in Room 33 of the Engineering Building, on Saturday, December 1, at 12 noon. The executive wish to point out that not only members of the club, but all other students who are interested in seeing these films, are invited to attend.

S.C.M.

Would the University Settlement Group please remember meeting today at one o'clock at S.C.M. house.

In order to acquaint more students with the Student Christian Movement there will be a "Musical Program" at an open house tea to be held this Sunday afternoon, Dec. 2nd at 3 p.m., the executive announced.

The purpose behind the open house is to give McGill students a chance to see the S.C.M. House and to learn for themselves the type of organization the S.C.M. is.

The program for the afternoon will consist of a well balanced selection of classical recordings. There will also be served plenty of tea and food, it is understood.

As this open house is a straight forward musical program and as there will be plenty of people coming to the tea for the first time, any person who is even slightly interested is invited to attend.

Varsity Men Rap Action of Police

Claim Use of Undue Force in Dispersal Of Student Picketers

Toronto, Nov. 28.—(CUP)—Three university students have submitted a written complaint against the Toronto Police Department following the dispersal of a group of approximately 30 undergraduates who picketed rink last Friday night.

Mayor Saunders has announced that the charges—including an allegation that undue force was used in breaking up the demonstration—will be investigated.

This was the second picketing episode at Icelandia against an alleged instance of racial discrimination involving the refusal of admission to a 15 year old Negro boy.

Police reserves were called out when a crowd of more than 100 gathered to watch the demonstration. The students who claim that the picketing was carried on "in an orderly and quiet manner," said any congestion in traffic was caused by the onlookers and not by the students.

Several students were taken into custody by the police but were released shortly after. No charges have been reported laid against any of the pickets.

Picketing was continued without incident Saturday afternoon and evening. Placards with the slogans: "Racial Discrimination Must Go," "Is This Canada Or The Southern States?" were carried by the protesting students.

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for Architects." "There is a tendency," remarked the Director, "for more social value being put on matters. In architecture, particularly, we are not only interested in how fine a building is from the abstract point of view, but also in what type of house people want, and in what they need, and in what will satisfy their needs."

In a tour of the School, one sees many interesting and well-executed sketches of still life, nature, and people. Also particularly noticeable at present are both one model and design of a milk bar in a park, and one design of a house for an architect. There are many static and mobile models done by the students, and odd color designs and arrangements, which are not representative, but simply "are what they are." In the dark room, the students mount models which they have built, and subject them to different beams of light. This gives them experience in making designs with planes and surfaces.

These designs, models and experiments develop the student's imagination for future large scale planning. One such plan, the community site of St. Laurent, was on display. Also many of the students were designing different types of pre-fabricated houses, the details of which are very absorbing.

The students in Architecture have the advantage over other campus groups in that there are fewer of them; thus they know each other, and there is an abundance of "faculty spirit." One finds students from all parts of the world, and among the members of this cosmopolitan crowd is an easy air of camaraderie. One is immediately at ease in this friendly, good humored atmosphere. The students seem to enjoy explaining even the most elementary design to the observer, and will take time to discuss the projects they are working on, or anything else of interest.

There is a saying that "engineers can have their beers, but architects have tea." Every afternoon, in the common room, tea is served to the students, who relax for a while between long hours of draughting. Visitors are graciously included in the repast and are served by the architects, who, while washing cups, brewing tea, and passing cake, state that "we get an all-around education in this place."

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representative of the E.U.S. to the Students' Executive Council one or other of my executive positions would have to be neglected.

Therefore I feel that I must withdraw my name from the nominations in order that I may devote all my available time to my present positions.

Yours sincerely,
Signed D. D. LOVE

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Societies to see which could promote the most successful dance.

As a result of this emulation, it is expected that the Arts and Science Dance Committee will attempt to make this coming event the most striking of the three. I wonder how many got down this far.

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Students' Society and the Senate before becoming effective. A special meeting of the Council will take place on Saturday, at which time amendments for the constitution, which members have found to be out of date, will be discussed and ratified.

JAPANESE-CANADIANS

Following reading of a letter from the secretary of one of the political leaders originally approached by the Council for information concerning the governments' decision to deport 10,000 Japanese Canadians, a discussion ensued during which the matter was viewed by members from the point of view of the Council's ability to deal with political matters. It was pointed out by some members, that if the Council was to start dealing with all the current political problems of Canada, University business would necessarily be neglected.

Other members stated that this question was more weighty than any purely political question and that some definite action on the part of the Council was not only in order, but had been promised to the student body, and that, since information received from Ottawa had proved slow in arriving, a committee should be appointed by the Council to investigate the matter more deeply and report to the Council's next regular meeting.

After further discussion Mel Shiffman (Engineering) and Charles Wassermann (Daily) were appointed as a committee-of-two with the task of investigating the above question.

ENGINEERS

The Chairman read a letter from the Principal and the Registrar announcing that the Senate of the University had approved the recommendation of the Students' Council advocating that the students of the Faculty of Engineering who entered RVC and Strathcona Hall following a recent class banquet be placed on probation, barring them from University social and athletics functions for the remainder of this term. A list of students responsible for this action had previously been submitted to the Senate.

OTHER ITEMS

Among other items dealt with at last night's Council meeting, the constitutions of two of McGill's political clubs were referred to the constitutional committee for approval pending the receipt of the constitutions of the two other party-clubs.

Richard J. Balfour and Merle Cayford were appointed as a committee of two to plan the forthcoming extension of the McGill War Memorial Drive sponsored by the Graduates' Society. The drive is being extended to contact those students who pledged to contribute to the Memorial but have not yet made their payments, and also to the contact those students who were not at McGill when the drive was conducted last year.

The drive is also being taken up again, the Council learned, in order to allow the realization of a plan to build an annex to the gymnasium and a hockey rink-auditorium as well as a swimming pool.

Robert Dunton of the Dawson College Undergraduate Society reported to the Council on conditions at Dawson.

Plans were approved for an extension of the activities of the Forge, McGill's Literary Magazine, and recommendations were made to that magazine's Editorial Board proposing that more copies be printed this year in order to give more students an opportunity to acquire The Forge.

A communication from the Principal was also heard, which announced that a list of textbooks required at McGill will be made available to local booksellers in the future, so that students will find it easier to obtain these books. Deans of various Faculties are being contacted, it was learnt, so that these lists can be drawn up.

This action was taken following representations of the Council to University authorities pointing out the difficulties students have in buying the necessary books for their courses.

Regarding the proposed change in the regulation allowing veteran students to carry one "condition" in the following year, the average viewpoint expressed that this would be an aid to ex-servicemen who would probably have difficulty in readjusting themselves to study after being away from it for some time.

In response to the news Len Starkey, President of the McGill Student Veterans' Society stated,

"While this is a forward step, it still does not solve the problem of the inadequacy of the existing maintenance grants. The veteran undergoing rehabilitation through a college education, in my opinion, can afford neither the time or the energy to do the work necessary to earn this money."

"It certainly is an important step and an improvement, but it still doesn't do any good," stated James Poapst, Comm. I. "This announcement won't produce much of an effect in most cases. If more provision was made for cheaper housing accommodation, or the original \$60 was raised, conditions would be eased."

Other students wholeheartedly agreed that the \$60 was a bare minimum to cover the cost of living and if they didn't receive aid from home or draw on their savings or gratuities they just wouldn't have any allowance.

The general viewpoint of the veterans interviewed coincided with these opinions and the majority of them were in complete agreement with Mr. Starkey.

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Athletics Office will be appointed as the third judge.

In debating the aforementioned topic several stipulations have been made. The year of service would be on the seventeenth birthday or upon graduation from high school. Canadian would be defined broadly and would not be open to debate. The year of service would be continual and the trainees would be taken from their homes and placed in camps under the jurisdiction of the Canadian Army.

Universities debating in the competition for Canadian University supremacy include McGill, Loyola, Bishops and Ottawa University in the Eastern section and Western, Queen's, McMaster and St. Pats in the Western. McGill opens her schedule on February 14 when the affirmative travels to Bishops and the negative plays host to Ottawa University. The winners of the two sections debate for the championship.

All students appointed to the IUDL team will receive silver debating keys at the end of the season while debaters participating in other college forensic competitions will receive their debating "A's".

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advantage over their companions at Beatty Hall.

In reply to this, Dr. MacLennan,

the warden, stated that the fees barely covered the total expenditure. The facilities are not covered by the fees, these were either covered by the university or by endowments.

The residents then voted to allow the students at the United Theological College the use of the facilities at Beatty Hall for the yearly sum of two dollars.

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College girls' buses will leave Dawson at midnight.

The patrons of this event will be Prof. and Mrs. Gillson, Dr. Roscoe, Prof. and Mrs. Craig, and Prof. and Mrs. Marshall. Work will begin this morning on the decorations of the gymnasium under the supervision of Ray Charton and Beverley Mace.

Music for this event will be provided by the Dawsonaires. This newly-organized orchestra features eleven members under the leadership of pianist Bill Connelly. The sax section will feature Bain McAskill, Art Williams, Doug Robertson, and Bill Drummond, while Roy Rogers, Dick Whiting, and Irving Ricker will compose the trumpet section. Ed McDonald on the guitar, Andy Houde on the slap bass, and Johnny Pepper on the drums round out this ensemble. The vocals will be supplied by Gerry Isman and Bill Adamson.

Students are reminded by the committee that a limited number of tickets are still available, and that these can be obtained from Ian Fraser, Keith Wake, Andrew Patterson, and Laurence Hutchison.

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be expected, and the present demand for engineers specialized in certain fields.

Tonight's speakers were introduced by Professor Williams of the Mathematics department. This meeting was another in the series of evening lectures being sponsored at Dawson College by the speakers' bureau under the chairmanship of J. S. Harris.

MEDICAL APPETITUDE TEST

The Medical Aptitude Test of the Association of American Medical Colleges will be held at McGill University at 2 p.m. on Friday, December 14th, 1945. Anyone wishing to take this test should apply to the Registrar's Office. The fee for this test is \$2.50.

THIS TEST IS NOT REQUIRED BY THE FACULTY OF MEDICINE OF MCGILL, OR OF ANY OTHER CANADIAN UNIVERSITY.

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afternoon are as follows:

	P	W	L	D	Pts.
Eng. B.	1	1	0	0	2
B. Sc. I.	1	1	0	0	2
B. Sc. II.	1	1	0	0	2
Eng. A.	2	1	1	0	2
Eng. C.	1	0	1	0	0
Married.	2	0	2	0	0

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the start of the opening league tussle against either Macdonald or Bishops, and the short training season, "It is necessary that each player turn out for every practice," announced "Tig" Chaloner.

The Dawson Intermediate "B" squad comprises the following: B. Clatz, I. Fraser, L. Dun, R. Keefler, G. Giroux, B. Lang, G. Lawton, F. Spafford, S. Ross, H. Tanacki, E. Watson.

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Fitzgerald	0	0	4	0
J. Hampton	0	1	3	1
Birmingham	0	3	0	3
H. Hampton	0	0	0	0
Ward	0	0	0	0
McGuckin	0	0	1	0
Monaghan	1	1	3	3
Totals	1	5	15	7

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Georgians	FG.	FT.	PF.	Total
Burnett	2	0	2	4
Guthrie	1	1	1	3
Woods	5	1	2	11
Flynn	3	1	2	7
Robertson	2	2	1	6
Stafford	0	0	2	0
Waxman	1	0	2	2
Wilkinson	0	0	1	0
Elo	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	5	13	33

McGILL FG. FT. PF. Total

Davidson	3	2	3	8
Roth	4	2	3	10
Hoyle	2	2	2	6
Goodwin	5	0	0	10
Miller	0	0	0	0
Zalkind	0	0	0	0
Shacter	0	0	0	0
Finlay	0	0	1	0
Bower	0	0	0	0
Greenburg	2	1	4	5
Totals	16	7	13	30

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Cole	2	3	0	4
Nichols	5	3	2	11
Dougharty	1	3	0	2
Totals	25	17	13	55

Notices

Lost

Gold and Blue Waterman pencil lost Monday, 26th (morning) in Room 70 of the Arts Building. Please remit to owner. Reward. Contact Raymond Daoust, Law Faculty (first year).

Lost Coat

Will the person who took a brown air force coat and a brown leather shoulder-strap bag from just outside the lab in the Biology Bldg. please return them to the janitor in that building. I have just paid \$20 to have the coat fixed and I do not possess another winter coat. Urgent. A Vet. H. Brown.

Still Wanted

One modern dance costume size 16 or 18. Please call Monica Bendzaitis. YOrk 3914.

Lost

Between the Campus and St. Catherine St., a chocolate-brown colored Waterman fountain pen. Finder please leave at Union Tuck Shop or phone Manilff Mitchell, PL. 3608. The pen was lost on Tuesday afternoon.

GEORGIANS

	FG.	FT.	PF.	Pts.
Kis	1	2	1	2
Copping	2	1	3	5
Schraatz	3	0	5	9
Parsons	2	4	5	4
Drummond	0	0	0	0
Buckle	1	0	0	2
Ackerley	2	1	0	4
Fisher	0	1	1	0
Adelstein	0	2	1	0
Totals	11	11	16	26

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terpreting the ideas of each to the other and facilitating co-operation between the two.

To Be Continued

The conductor halted the lovely young mother and warned: "You'll have to pay full fare for the boy. He's wearing long pants." The mother snapped: "All right; but you'll have to let me ride free."

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HOT STUFF